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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas BIRKHOELZER et al. Confirmation No.: 3374
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Sir:

In response to the Non-Final Office Action mailed October 28, 2011 ("Office Action"), the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Remarks begin on page 13 of this Amendment.

	Claims remaining after Amendment		Highest number previously paid for		Present extra
Total	40	-	39	=	1
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